

ATTACHMENT 1

Dose Consolidation Drugs

Effective for dates of service on and after August 28, 2006, the drugs listed in the following table may be consolidated to a higher-strength tablet if a pharmacy provider contacts the prescriber to authorize a new prescription to dispense a consolidated strength. Pharmacy providers will receive Drug Utilization Review alerts for these drugs.

Providers are not limited to the drugs in this table; however, for providers to receive Pharmaceutical Care (PC) reimbursement, only doses of brand-name drugs may be consolidated. This list may be revised at any time, and providers should refer to the Pharmacy page of the Medicaid Web site at dhfs.wisconsin.gov/medicaid/pharmacy/ for the most current list of drugs.

If the prescriber agrees that a recipient's medication can safely be consolidated, the pharmacy provider should submit a drug claim, indicating PC for dose consolidation, to receive reimbursement for the service. Providers may only submit a claim for PC if they contact the prescriber to authorize a new prescription for a consolidated dose.

Abilify	Atacand	Atacand HCTZ
Avalide	Avapro	Benicar
Benicar HCTZ	Cozaar	Crestor
Diovan	Diovan HCTZ	Effexor
Effexor ER	Hyzaar	Lescol
Lexapro	Lipitor	Nexium
Norvasc	Prevacid	Risperdal
Zocor	Zyprexa	